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Outline

- I. EO No. 352: System of Designated Statistics (SDS)**
- II. Monitoring Process**
- III. Results of 2020 SDS Monitoring**
- IV. Way Forward**



I. EO 352: System of Designated Statistics

- Serves as a framework for setting priorities in data production and dissemination.
- The designation includes the following:
 - title of designated statistics/activity
 - implementing agency
 - frequency of collection
 - geographic disaggregation
 - schedule of data dissemination





II. Monitoring Process

Compliance to SDS

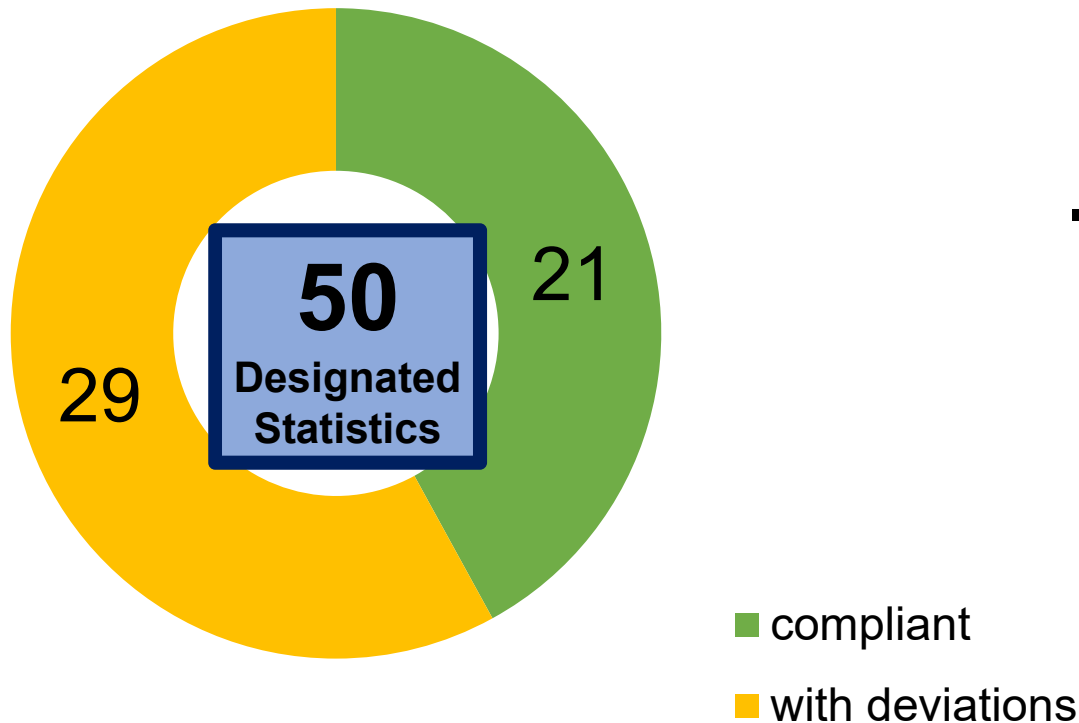
Compliant - All aspects were met, e.g., frequency of conduct, timely schedule of release, disaggregation, and all indicators are released as indicated in ARC.

Deviations from SDS (*for appropriate action* of implementing agencies*) - Some aspects were met, e.g., advanced/delayed release thus not following designated schedule; not all indicators are released and/or the prescribed frequency of conduct, time lag and disaggregation were not followed

** may include proposals for modification, action plan/strategies to comply with SDS*



III. Results of 2020 SDS Monitoring

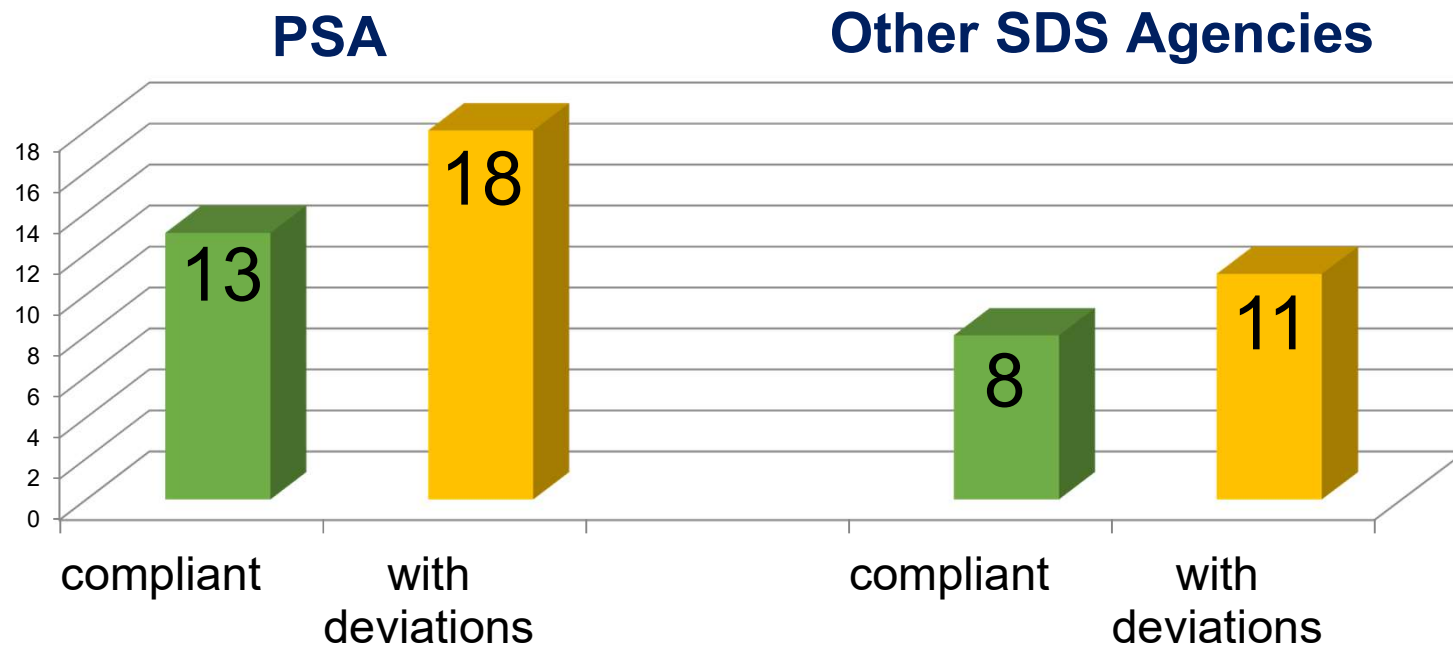


- 9 out of the 59 designated statistical activities are periodic activities/statistics so are not scheduled to be released in 2020.
- Of the remaining 50 designated activities/statistics that are scheduled to be released in 2020:
 - 21 or 42% were **compliant**;
 - 29 or 58% have **deviations** from the SDS per EO 352 and succeeding PSA Board Resolutions.



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Number of Designated Statistics/Activities as to SDS Compliance





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- Some of the designated statistics are now released earlier than their SDS-prescribed schedule, e.g., MISSI, Trade Statistics, Backyard Livestock and Poultry Survey, Commercial Livestock and Poultry Survey. Likewise, there are also observed changes in frequency, e.g., Customs Collections, Field Health Service Data, Data on Power/Energy, Land Area Statistics
- Operational constraints were also experienced by various data sources during the pandemic, resulting in rescheduled data releases to later dates.



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Compliant designated statistics/activities from PSA (13)

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Quarterly Survey on Philippine Business and Industry	Quarterly Commercial Fisheries Survey
Survey on Retail Prices for the Consumer Price Index	Quarterly Municipal Fisheries Survey
- Consumer Price Index	Survey on Overseas Filipinos
- Inflation Rate	Compilation of National Accounts
- Seasonally Adjusted Consumer Price Index	Seasonally Adjusted National Accounts
Labor Force Survey	Generation of Vital Statistics from the Civil Registration System
Farm Price Survey	



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Compliant designated statistics/activities from other agencies (8)

Agency	Designated Statistics/Activities
Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas	Generation of Monetary and Banking Statistics
Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas	Compilation of External Accounts
Commission on Higher Education	Generation of Higher Education Statistics
Department of Agrarian Reform	Generation of Data on Land Holdings and Land Transfer
Department of Education	Generation of Basic Education Statistics
Department of Public Works and Highways	Inventory of National Roads and Bridges
Forest Management Bureau	Generation of Forest Resources Statistics
Technical Education and Skills Development Authority	Generation of Technical-Vocational Education and Training Statistics



III. Results of 2020 SDS Monitoring

☹️ Number of designated statistics/activities with deviations

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Deviations from EO 352	Number
Schedule of dissemination	6 (advance releases) 8 (delayed releases)
Geographic disaggregation	1
Frequency of conduct	1 (delayed)
Implementing agency, and Geographic disaggregation	1
Implementing Agency, Frequency of Conduct, Geographic Disaggregation, and Schedule of Dissemination	1
Total	18



III. Results of 2020 SDS Monitoring

☹️ Number of designated statistics/activities with deviations (cont.)

Other SDS Agencies	
Deviations from EO 352	Number
Schedule of dissemination	2 (delayed releases)
Geographic disaggregation	1
Frequency of conduct	2
Frequency of conduct, and Schedule of Dissemination	3 (delayed)
Frequency of Conduct, Geographic Disaggregation, and Schedule of Dissemination	1
Title of Designated Activity/Statistics, Frequency of Conduct, and Schedule of Dissemination	2
Total	11



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IV. Way Forward

- For the delayed release of statistical indicators, concerned agencies are requested to submit proposed strategies or plan of action (which may include proposals for modification) for them to comply with the designated schedule of release.
- Agency consultations are recommended to be pursued towards possible modification in the present set of designated statistics.
- The proposed modification should be evaluated by the concerned sectoral interagency committee that endorsed the designated activity/statistics.



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Summary Notes on the Results of the 2020 SDS Monitoring

A. Compliant: All aspects were met, e.g., frequency of conduct, timely schedule of release, disaggregation; and all indicators are released as indicated in ARC.

Agency	Designated Statistical Activity
Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Quarterly Survey on Philippine Business and Industry 2. Labor Force Survey 3. Survey on Retail Prices for the Consumer Price Index 4. Consumer Price Index 5. Inflation Rate 6. Seasonally Adjusted Consumer Price Index 7. Quarterly Commercial Fisheries Survey 8. Quarterly Municipal Fisheries Survey 9. Farm Prices Survey 10. Survey on Overseas Filipinos 11. Compilation of National Accounts 12. Seasonally Adjusted National Accounts 13. Generation of Vital Statistics from the Civil Registration System
Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas (BSP)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Generation of Monetary and Banking Statistics <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Depository Corporations Survey b. Central Bank Survey c. Total Resources of the Philippine Financial System d. Loans Outstanding of Universal and Commercial Bank e. Total Loans of Universal/Commercial Bank 2. Compilation of External Accounts <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Balance of Payments b. International Reserves c. External Debt d. External Debt Ratios e. International Investment Position f. Data Template on International Reserves and Foreign Currency Liquidity

Commission on Higher Education (CHED)	Generation of Higher Education Statistics
Department of Agrarian Reform (DAR)	Generation of Data on Land Holdings and Land Transfer
Department of Education (DepEd)	Generation of Basic Education Statistics
Department of Public Works and Highways (DPWH)	Inventory of National Roads and Bridges
Forest Management Bureau (FMB)	Generation of Forest Resources Statistics
Technical Educational and Skills and Development Authority (TESDA)	Generation of Technical-Vocational Education and Training Statistics

B. With Deviations from EO 352

Designated Statistics/ Statistical Activities		Per EO 352	Observations / Deviations from EO 352	Concerned IAC/TC	Standards Service Comments/suggestions
Deviations on Schedule of Dissemination					
PSA					
01	Census of Population and Housing	Before the end of every census year for population figures from national down to barangay levels 18 months after the reference year for other statistics	Census was conducted in 2020 but the population figures will be submitted to the Office of the President in May 2021. Other statistics will be released in 2021	IAC on Population and Housing Statistics	Operational constraints during the pandemic.
02	Annual Survey of Philippine Business and Industry	Schedule of dissemination is two (2) years after the reference year (preliminary) and three (3) years after the	Starting with the 2019 ASPBI, the release of the final results will be one year after the distribution of questionnaires. Preliminary results	IAC on Trade and Industry Statistics (IACTIS)	This is an improvement. For possible modification on schedule of dissemination

Designated Statistics/ Statistical Activities	Per EO 352	Observations / Deviations from EO 352	Concerned IAC/TC	Standards Service Comments/suggestions
	reference year (final)	will no longer be generated. Only the final results will be released.		
03	Monthly Integrated Survey of Selected Industries	Schedule of dissemination is 45 days after the reference month.	The release for MISSI was shortened to around 35 days after the reference month since 2018 (January 2018 reference month). However, starting in 2021, the results will be released 37 or 38 days after the reference month (2 days after the release of CPI).	IACTIS An improvement. For possible modification on schedule of dissemination
04	Survey of Retail Prices of Commodities for the Retail Price Index	Schedule of dissemination is 35 days after the reference month.	Proposed modification on the change of the title to Survey of Retail Prices of Commodities for the General Retail Price Index submitted.	IAC on Price Statistics (IACPS) Improvement. Proposed modifications for possible inclusion in the agenda of the next IACPS meeting after further study

Designated Statistics/ Statistical Activities		Per EO 352	Observations / Deviations from EO 352	Concerned IAC/TC	Standards Service Comments/suggestions
			With existing proposed modification on the change of schedule of dissemination to 30 days after the reference month per IACPS Resolution 01, s. 2020		
05	Survey of Wholesale Prices of Commodities - Agriculture - Non-Agriculture	Schedule of dissemination is 35 days after the reference month.	With existing proposed modification on the title to Survey of Wholesale Prices of Commodities for the General Wholesale Price Index, schedule of dissemination to 45 days after the reference month, geographic disaggregation to National, Luzon, Visayas, Mindanao, per signed IACPS Resolution 01, s. 2020 endorsing the modifications	IACPS	Proposed modifications for inclusion in the agenda of the next IACPS meeting after further study
06	Wholesale Price Index				

Designated Statistics/ Statistical Activities	Per EO 352	Observations / Deviations from EO 352	Concerned IAC/TC	Standards Service Comments/suggestions
			in the SDS.	
07	Generation of Foreign Trade Statistics	Schedule of dissemination is 45 days after the reference month	<p>40 days after reference month</p> <p>If 40th day falls on a Saturday, the release is done on Friday;</p> <p>If 40th day falls on Sunday or Monday, the release date is moved to Tuesday;</p> <p>Except for reference months Dec 2020, March 2021, June 2021 and September 2021, the release date is moved ahead of the release date of the Quarterly NAP</p>	<p>IACTIS</p> <p>Improvement. For possible modification on schedule of dissemination</p>
08	Seasonally Adjusted Palay Prices	Schedule of release is 30 days after the reference quarter.	Released 40 days after reference quarter. Seasonally Adjusted Palay	<p>IACPS</p> <p>For possible modification on the schedule of release.</p> <p>For consultation with Price Statistics Division for</p>

Designated Statistics/ Statistical Activities		Per EO 352	Observations / Deviations from EO 352	Concerned IAC/TC	Standards Service Comments/suggestions
			Prices is released together with Seasonally Adjusted Palay Production which is 40 days after reference quarter as Seasonally Adjusted Palay Production and Prices.		possible earlier provision of raw data.
Department of Tourism (DOT) / Bureau of Immigration (BI)					
09	Processing of Arrival/Departure Cards	Schedule of dissemination is five (5) weeks after the reference month and two (2) months after the reference year.	No annual release dates for both Visitor Arrivals and Outbound Statistics Reference period is late per EO 352 for Outbound Statistics.	IAC on Tourism Statistics (IAC TS)	For modification in the respective attributes DOT to study schedule of release and submission of other ports to be able to provide the appropriate release date.
Deviations on Geographic Disaggregation					
PSA					
01	Palay and Corn Production Survey (PCPS)	Geographic disaggregation is National, Regional and Provincial.	At present, the geographic disaggregation released is only National	IAC on Agriculture and Fisheries Statistics (IACA FS)	CSD will submit revised ARC with remarks on current practice on Crops Statistics and the URL of OpenStat for regional and provincial releases in addition to link on Special

Designated Statistics/ Statistical Activities	Per EO 352	Observations / Deviations from EO 352	Concerned IAC/TC	Standards Service Comments/suggestions	
				Release with national disaggregation.	
Mines and Geosciences Bureau (MGB)					
02	Generation of Mineral Statistics	Geographic disaggregation is National, Regional, Provincial, and Municipal	No municipal disaggregation	IAC on Environment and Natural Resources Statistics (IACENRS)	For discussion/possible modification by the IACENRS
Deviations on Frequency of Conduct					
PSA					
01	Census of Philippine Business and Industry	Frequency of conduct is every five (5) years.	Previously conducted in 2000, 2006, 2012 and 2018.	IACTIS	Per coordination with focal division, next conduct is 2023 CPBI for compliance.
Bureau of Internal Revenue (BIR)					
02	Generation of Statistics on Internal Revenue Collection	Frequency of conduct is Monthly, Quarterly, Semestral and Annual	No monthly and semestral releases. Since 1995, the practice of generating only quarterly (with monthly breakdown) and annually was adopted. Proposed modification in 2017 include	IACMFGFS	The modification be adopted to update the SDS given that this will not affect the release of national accounts (as of 2017, the proposed change in the frequency and schedule of data dissemination do not affect the release of national accounts). Proposed modifications for inclusion in the agenda of the next IACPS meeting.

Designated Statistics/ Statistical Activities		Per EO 352	Observations / Deviations from EO 352	Concerned IAC/TC	Standards Service Comments/suggestions
			deletion of monthly and semestral releases and quarterly releases be changed to 60 days after the reference quarter (preliminary) from 45 days after the reference quarter.		
Land Management Bureau (LMB)					
03	Generation of Land Area Statistics	Frequency of conduct is Quarterly	The frequency and schedule of data dissemination is implemented since 1999 in compliance with DENR Administrative Order (AO) No. 99-09. Per DENR AO 99-09, to improve the flow of statistical reporting in DENR, release of land area statistical tables is on semi-annual basis. Proposal for modification on the	IACENRS	Possible modification for discussion in the next IACENRS meeting.

Designated Statistics/ Statistical Activities	Per EO 352	Observations / Deviations from EO 352	Concerned IAC/TC	Standards Service Comments/suggestions	
		frequency conduct and schedule of data dissemination submitted and endorsed to the PSA ExeCom in 2017.			
Deviations on Frequency of Conduct, and Schedule of Dissemination					
Bureau of Treasury (BTr)					
01	Generation of National Government Cash and Treasury Operations Statistics	<p>Schedule of dissemination is:</p> <p>Two (2) weeks after the reference period for Weekly/Monthly Cash Budget Aggregates</p> <p>Six (6) months after the reference year for Annual Cash Budget Aggregates</p> <p>Six (6) weeks after the reference month for Monthly Cash Operations Statement</p>	<p>Data released not same per EO 352 Government Cash Operations Statement not following EO schedule of weekly. Only monthly and annual</p> <p>Proposed modification in all aspects submitted in 2019.</p> <p>Data Generated include Government Outstanding Debt which is not yet designated.</p>	IAC on Monetary, Financial and Government Finance Statistics (IACMFGFS)	Proposed modifications for inclusion in the agenda of the next IACMFGFS meeting.
Department of Energy (DOE)					

Designated Statistics/ Statistical Activities		Per EO 352	Observations / Deviations from EO 352	Concerned IAC/TC	Standards Service Comments/suggestions
02	Generation of Data on Power/Energy Production and Consumption	Frequency of conduct is Monthly, geographic disaggregation is National, and schedule of data dissemination is Six (6) months after the reference month	Total Petroleum Demand, by Industry Classification, released quarterly instead of monthly Petroleum Product Domestic and International Demand, Regional data released 2 months and 20 days after reference period instead of National data released 6 months after reference month. 2021 Power Statistics released twice a year/semestrally instead of monthly	IACENRS	For modifications to improve the attributes of the designated statistics of DOE DOE will provide the inputs/justifications in coordination with the concerned units
Bureau of Customs (BOC)					
03	Generation of Customs Collection Statistics	Frequency of conduct is Monthly and Annual, and releases are 10 days after the	Non-compliant in the schedule of release. No annual release.	IACTIS	For possible modification on schedule of dissemination and frequency of conduct. Clarify import and export

Designated Statistics/ Statistical Activities	Per EO 352	Observations / Deviations from EO 352	Concerned IAC/TC	Standards Service Comments/suggestions
	reference month and 60 days after the reference year.	Data released are import and export data. Per BOC, they will check this since BOC does not generate Customs Collection Statistics.		data released by BOC vs customs collection statistics. Observations for inclusion in the agenda of the next IACTIS meeting.
Deviations on Implementing Agency, and Geographic Disaggregation				
PSA / National Food Authority (NFA)				
01	Palay/Rice and Corn Stocks Survey - Household stocks - Commercial stocks	Implementing agency is PSA for Household Stocks and NFA for Commercial Stocks. Geographic disaggregation is National and Regional.	Commercial stocks survey to be conducted by PSA starting 2021. Ongoing turnover of survey from NFA to PSA. Commercial stock is sourced from Commercial Stocks Survey and not from Palay/Rice and Corn Stocks Survey. The geographic disaggregation released is only National.	IACAFS For modification on the implementing agencies, geographic disaggregation. For consultation with NFA on methodologies and survey conduct Commercial stock needs to be removed under Palay/Rice and Corn Stocks Survey and have it as a separate indicator.

Designated Statistics/ Statistical Activities	Per EO 352	Observations / Deviations from EO 352	Concerned IAC/TC	Standards Service Comments/suggestions	
Deviations on Implementing Agency, Frequency of Conduct, Geographic Disaggregation, and Schedule of Dissemination					
PSA					
01	Mortality Indicators a. Infant Mortality Rate b. Under five (5) Mortality Rate c. Maternal Mortality Rate	Implementing agency is TWG on Maternal and Child Mortality (PSA) Frequency of conduct is Annual Schedule of dissemination is one (1) year after the release of final tables on births, deaths, etc. Geographic disaggregation is National, Regional, Provincial, and Selected Cities	NDHS data is used for IMR and under 5 MR MMR is generated using CRVS data since 2015 for the SDG and CRVS Decade monitoring TWG on Maternal Mortality Estimation was created under the IACCRVS in 2019 NDHS is conducted every 5 years and mortality indicators are designated to be released annually No specific timeline yet for the MMR	IAC on Civil Registration Statistics (IACCRVS)	For further consultations on possible modifications.

Designated Statistics/ Statistical Activities		Per EO 352	Observations / Deviations from EO 352	Concerned IAC/TC	Standards Service Comments/suggestions
			Due to the rarity of the event (maternal mortality), disaggregation is presently up to national level only		
Deviations on Frequency of Conduct, Geographic Disaggregation and Schedule of Dissemination					
Department of Health (DOH)					
01	Field Health Service Information System	Schedule of dissemination is one (1) month after the reference month	Non-compliant Annual release instead of monthly	IAC on Health and Nutrition Statistics (IACHNS)	Proposal for modification undergoing review of DOH
Deviations on Title of Designated Activity/Statistics, Frequency of Conduct, and Schedule of Dissemination					
Food and Nutrition Research Institute (FNRI)					
01	National Nutrition Survey - Behavioral Risk Factor - Food Consumption and Nutrient Intake and Adequacies	The designated statistical activities of FNRI are (1) National Nutrition Survey and (2) Updating of the Nutritional Status of Children and other Population Groups.	These surveys are superseded per PSA Board Resolution No. 6, series of 2018 Approving the Adoption of New Design for the Conduct of Expanded National Nutrition Survey.	IACHNS	Subject for modification in the SDS. Modifications will push through after submission of evaluation report from FNRI to the PSA Board comparing NNS and ENNS in terms of effectiveness (accuracy and utilization) and cost efficiency after the three-year conduct is completed.
02	Updating of the Nutritional Status of Filipino Children and Other Population Groups				

Other Observations:

Designated Statistics/Statistical Activity	Days Advance/Delayed	Remarks/Reasons
PSA		
Family Income and Expenditure Survey	6 days delayed	Finalizing data
Backyard Livestock and Poultry Survey	2 - 22 days advance	ARC for 2021 adjusted for compliance
Commercial Livestock and Poultry Survey	2 - 22 days advance	ARC for 2021 adjusted for compliance
Generation of Construction Statistics from Building Permit Forms	21 - 63 days delayed (Q1 and Q2 data) 14 days advance (Q3 data)	Validating and finalizing data
Seasonally Adjusted Palay Production	16 days advance (Q4 data) 3 - 45 days delayed (Q1-Q3 data)	Source in 2020 Special Releases; ARC for 2021 source will be OpenStat
Food Balance Sheet	6 months delayed	Compilation of final data done in Q3
Philippine Overseas Employment Administration (POEA)		
Generation of Statistics on Overseas Contract Workers	3-4 weeks delayed	Validating and finalizing data